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For: PROPULSION SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
OPTIMISING POWER SUPPLY TO THE  
COOLING SYSTEM THEREOF  
International Application No.: PCT/EP2004/003273  
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XXX Substitute specification (27 pps.) consisting of: Description (23 pps.); Claims (3 pps.) and Abstract (1 page);  
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XXX Priority of application Serial No. **103 15 402.7** filed on **4 April 2003** in **Germany** and **PCT/EP2004/003273**, filed on **27 March 2004** is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 35 U.S.C. §365;

XXX PCT Publication No. **WO 2004/088104 A1**;

\_\_\_\_\_ Copy of International Preliminary Examination dated \_\_\_\_\_ ;

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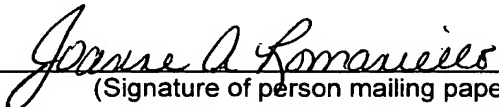
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